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In re Patent Application of:
Johan Engström *et al.*

Application No.: 10/587,428

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For: FLOW PATHS COMPRISING ONE OR TWO
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Examiner: Seifu, L.T.

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 22, 2010

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This submission is in response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2010 (“the Action”) and is accompanied by an Assertion of Small Entity Status, a Petition for Extension of Time of Two Months and the requisite fee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.